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MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST WORKSHEET

NOMINATION FORM for the NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES, NATIONAL PARKS SERVICE

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SEE INSTRUCTIONS

1. NAME				
COMMON: <u>(Edward)</u> <u>Old Collison House</u>				
AND/OR HISTORIC:				
2. LOCATION				
STREET AND NUMBER: <u>West side of Loch Haven Road, 1/4 mile north of jct. with Route 214</u>				
CITY OR TOWN: <u>near Collison's Corner, Edgewater</u>				
STATE: <u>Maryland</u>			COUNTY: <u>Anne Arundel</u>	
3. CLASSIFICATION				
CATEGORY (Check One)		OWNERSHIP		STATUS
<input type="checkbox"/> District <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Building <input type="checkbox"/> Site <input type="checkbox"/> Structure <input type="checkbox"/> Object		<input type="checkbox"/> Public <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Private <input type="checkbox"/> Both		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Occupied <input type="checkbox"/> Unoccupied <input type="checkbox"/> Preservation work in progress
		Public Acquisition: <input type="checkbox"/> In Process <input type="checkbox"/> Being Considered		ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> Restricted <input type="checkbox"/> Unrestricted <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
PRESENT USE (Check One or More as Appropriate)				
<input type="checkbox"/> Agricultural	<input type="checkbox"/> Government	<input type="checkbox"/> Park	<input type="checkbox"/> Transportation	<input type="checkbox"/> Comments
<input type="checkbox"/> Commercial	<input type="checkbox"/> Industrial	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Private Residence	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify)	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Educational	<input type="checkbox"/> Military	<input type="checkbox"/> Religious	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Entertainment	<input type="checkbox"/> Museum	<input type="checkbox"/> Scientific	_____	_____
4. OWNER OF PROPERTY				
OWNER'S NAME: <u>Mayflower Mortgage Company</u>				
STREET AND NUMBER:				
CITY OR TOWN: <u>Map #60 AD #1 Parcel #18 Liber/Folio #2446/21</u>			STATE:	
5. LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION				
COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.:				
STREET AND NUMBER:				
CITY OR TOWN:			STATE:	
Title Reference of Current Deed (Book & Pg. #):				
6. REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS				
TITLE OF SURVEY:				
DATE OF SURVEY: <input type="checkbox"/> Federal <input type="checkbox"/> State <input type="checkbox"/> County <input type="checkbox"/> Local				
DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS:				
STREET AND NUMBER:				
CITY OR TOWN:			STATE:	

7. DESCRIPTION

CONDITION	(Check One)					
	<input type="checkbox"/> Excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> Good	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fair	<input type="checkbox"/> Deteriorated	<input type="checkbox"/> Ruins	<input type="checkbox"/> Unexposed
	(Check One)			(Check One)		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Altered	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unaltered		<input type="checkbox"/> Moved	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original Site	

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (if known) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

This long, 2 1/2 story, frame house stands on a hilltop above Route 214, near Collison's Corner. It was built in the 19th century in four different stages made apparent by the window placement and the breaks in the exterior siding. The two part roof runs east-west and the north elevation is the front of the house. The two sections at the east end of the house are under a single roof with a gable added to the center of the north side and with a large exterior chimney at either end. The windows have large panes (2/2) except for two small attic windows in the east end wall and a small quatrefoil window in the front gable. There are two doors on each side of this half of the building. The eastern most doors lead into the earlier, 2 bay section. The original exterior siding and attic windows of this section were left in place when the adjacent part was built. The front gable dates from about the same time as the later, three-bay section.

The kitchen end of the house (west half) has lower ceilings and is on lower ground so there is a drop in the roof line. This section is not as deep as the other. The windows vary in size but all have 6/6 panes. The kitchen has a large exterior chimney and two shed additions on the south side. It has a small dirt basement.

There are several outbuildings near the house: a tobacco barn, a stable, a corn crib, a smoke-house and well-house, a small office, a two-seated outhouse and a slave quarter. All of these buildings are in various stages of decay. The land has not been farmed for many years and the house was unoccupied until recently. The most interesting of the outbuilding are the smoke house and the slave quarter. They are both built of log with shingled roofs and board and batten siding. The smoke-house is in fair condition. Much of the siding is gone and the shingles have begun to fall off but the logs, with carefully dove tailed corners, are still sound. The quarter, however, has been engulfed in honeysuckle and is beginning to rot. This is a small, two room cabin with a loft above. The logs are chinked with mud and brick, covered with siding on the outside, white-washed inside. There is a wooden floor and a board partition between the two rooms. The ceiling is about 6 feet high and the rooms are very small and dark. There is a hole for a stove flue and a set of crude steps to the loft at the south end of the larger room. The main door, on the east side, opens in to the larger room; an other door on the west side led to a small shed room, which has now rotted away. There are two ting windows on the north end; one lights the loft, the other lights the smaller room below.

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B. SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD (Check One or More as Appropriate)

<input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Columbian	<input type="checkbox"/> 16th Century	<input type="checkbox"/> 18th Century	<input type="checkbox"/> 20th Century
<input type="checkbox"/> 15th Century	<input type="checkbox"/> 17th Century	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 19th Century	

SPECIFIC DATE(S) (If Applicable and Known)

AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE (Check One or More as Appropriate)

<input type="checkbox"/> Aboriginal	<input type="checkbox"/> Education	<input type="checkbox"/> Political	<input type="checkbox"/> Urban Planning
<input type="checkbox"/> Prehistoric	<input type="checkbox"/> Engineering	<input type="checkbox"/> Religion/Philosophy	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify)
<input type="checkbox"/> Historic	<input type="checkbox"/> Industry	<input type="checkbox"/> Science	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> Invention	<input type="checkbox"/> Sculpture	_____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> Landscape Architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> Social/Humanitarian	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Art	<input type="checkbox"/> Literature	<input type="checkbox"/> Theater	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Commerce	<input type="checkbox"/> Military	<input type="checkbox"/> Transportation	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Communications	<input type="checkbox"/> Music		
<input type="checkbox"/> Conservation			

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The house and 100 or more acres are now owned by a developer and the future of the property is uncertain.

The exact dates of the house and the outbuildings are not known but the 1878 county atlas shows that they were part of the estate of Edward W. Collison.

The house is simple, well-built and nicely scaled. It is an unusually successful example of the typical farmhouse with addition after addition and embellishments according to the fashions of the times when there was money to be spent. The two log buildings are unusual in that they are still intact and unchanged and by the fact that there are less than a dozen buildings of 19th century log-construction left in the county.

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9. MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Empty box for Major Bibliographical References.

10. GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING A RECTANGLE LOCATING THE PROPERTY				O R	LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING THE CENTER POINT OF A PROPERTY OF LESS THAN TEN ACRES				
CORNER	LATITUDE				LONGITUDE				
	Degrees	Minutes	Seconds	Degrees	Minutes	Seconds	Degrees	Minutes	Seconds
NW	°	'	"	°	'	"	°	'	"
NE	°	'	"	°	'	"	°	'	"
SE	°	'	"	°	'	"	°	'	"
SW	°	'	"	°	'	"	°	'	"

APPROXIMATE ACREAGE OF ~~PROPERTY~~ PROPERTY: 146 acres

Acreage Justification:

Large empty box for Acreage Justification.

11. FORM PREPARED BY

NAME AND TITLE:

ORGANIZATION: _____ DATE: _____

STREET AND NUMBER: _____

CITY OR TOWN: _____ STATE: _____

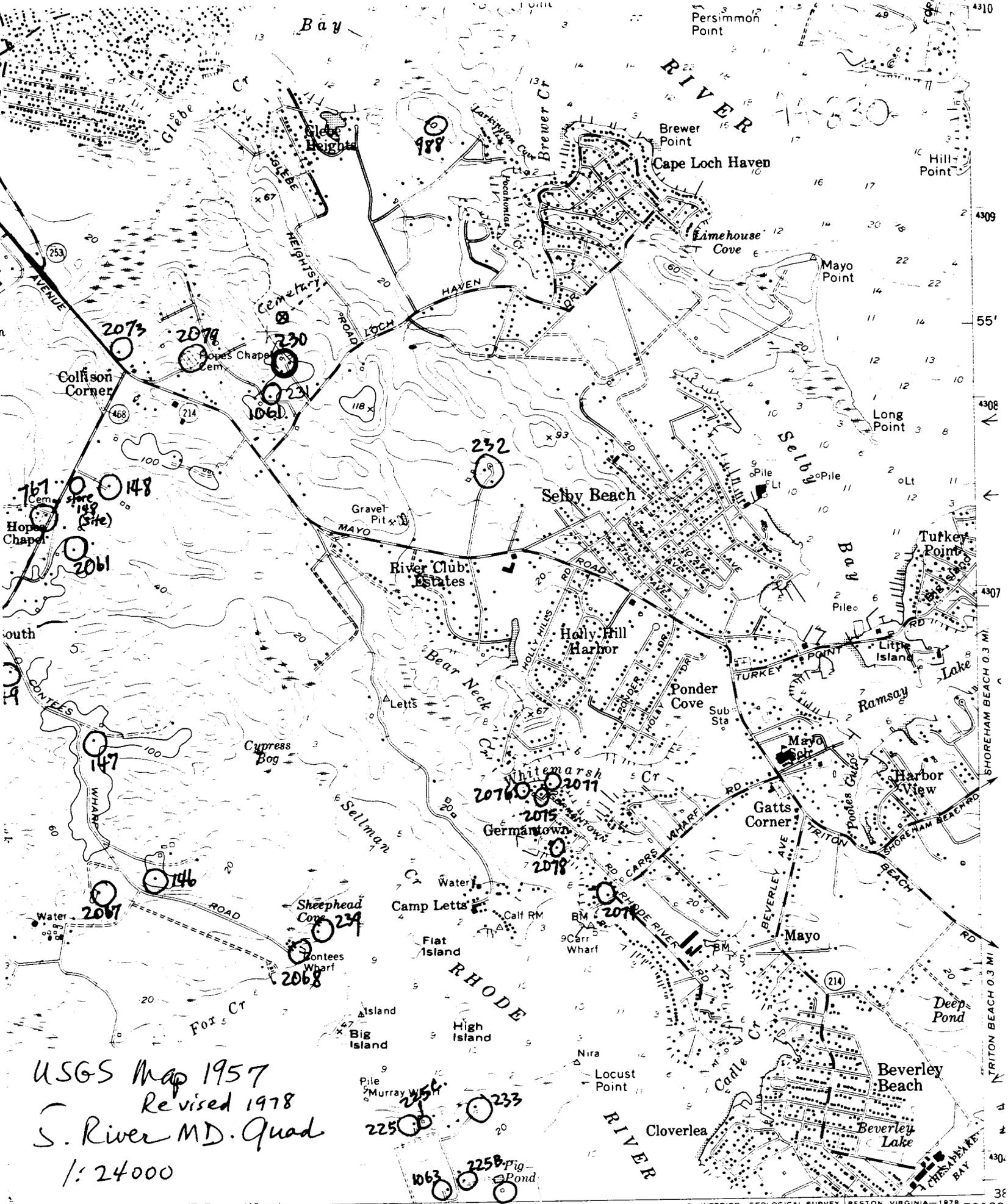
12. State Liaison Officer Review: (Office Use Only)

Significance of this property is:

National State Local

Signature

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USGS Map 1957
 Revised 1978
 S. River MD. Quad
 1:24000

AA 230 - WM. COLLINSON FARM, including the EDW. COLLINSON FAMILY Cemetary
 ROAD CLASSIFICATION



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"(Edward) Collison House"
North elevation

amb 3-75



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"Edward Collison House"
South elevation

amb 3-75



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"Edward Collison House"

S.E. corner

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"Edward Collison House"

Log Smoke-house and
Kitchen end of main
house

West elevation

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Small outbuilding
(Office?) at
("Edward) Collison House"
S.E. corner

amb 3-75



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aa-30-u-a ^(map 24)
log smoke-house
at "Edward Collison House"
North Elevation

amb 3-75



Ed. Collinson Family Cemetery

(off Glebe Hts. Road)
Edgewater

part of The Wm. Collinson Farm: "Colliersky-
Brewers Chance Upheld."

View, looking approximately South

S. Wetherill 9/85



1. Collinson Farm Archeological Site (18 AN 574). *AA-230*

Anne Arundel County, Maryland.

Photo by Daniel Koski-Karell.

26 May 1986.

Negative at Maryland Historical Trust, Annapolis, MD.

View: Collinson House ruin; view towards northwest from southeast corner of ruin; camera is facing northwest.

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2. Collinson Farm Archeological Site (18 AN 574).

Anne Arundel County, Maryland.

Photo by Daniel Koski-Karell.

26 May 1986.

Negative at Maryland Historical Trust, Annapolis, MD

View: Collinson House ruin; northeastern elevation;
northeastern end of house; camera is facing southwest
from the southwest end of the driveway.
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5. Collinson Farm Archeological Site (18 AN 574).

Anne Arundel County, Maryland.

Photo by Daniel Koski-Karell.

26 May 1986.

Negative at Maryland Historical Trust, Annapolis, MD.

View: Log Meat House ruin; eastern elevation; camera is facing west.

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6. Collinson Farm Archeological Site (18 AN 574). AA-230
Anne Arundel County, Maryland.
Photo by Daniel Koski-Karell.
26 May 1986.
Negative at Maryland Historical Trust, Annapolis, MD.
View: Corn Crib structure; southeast elevation; camera
is facing northeast.
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7. Collinson Farm Archeological Site (18 AN 574).

Anne Arundel County, Maryland.

Photo by Daniel Koski-Karell.

26 May 1986.

Negative at Maryland Historical Trust, Annapolis, MD.

View: General view of site from the intersection of the Access Road and the Driveway; Corn Crib structure is on the left; Slave Cabin is on the right; camera is facing northwest.

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8. Collinson Farm Archeological Site (18 AN 574).

Anne Arundel County, Maryland.

Photo by Daniel Koski-Karell.

26 May 1986.

Negative at Maryland Historical Trust, Annapolis, MD.

View: General view of the site from its northeastern limit (along the Access Road); Slave Cabin is in the foreground; Collinson House ruin is on the hilltop in the background; camera is facing southwest.

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9. Collinson Farm Archeological Site (18 AN 574).

Anne Arundel County, Maryland.

Photo by Daniel Koski-Karell.

26 May 1986.

Negative at Maryland Historical Trust, Annapolis, MD.

View: General view of the site from the Stable-Barn facing in the direction of the Collinson House ruin; the three people are walking along the Driveway towards the Collinson House ruin; camera is facing southwest.

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10. Collinson Farm Archeological Site (18 AN 574). AA-230
Anne Arundel County, Maryland.
Photo by Daniel Koski-Karell.
26 May 1986.
Negative at Maryland Historical Trust, Annapolis, MD.
View: Stable-Barn ruin; northern elevation, camera is
facing north.
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